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The Permanent Mission of New Zealand to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2140 (2014) and has the honour to submit the report of New Zealand prepared pursuant to paragraph 9 of resolution 2204 (2015) (see annex).

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Annex to the note verbale dated 8 June 2015 from the Permanent Mission of New Zealand to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

New Zealand report on the implementation of sanctions imposed by Security Council resolutions 2140 (2014)

1. In paragraph 9 of its resolution 2204 (2015), the Security Council called upon "all Member States to report to the Committee within 90 days of the adoption of this resolution on the steps they have taken with a view to implementing effectively the measures imposed by paragraphs 11 and 15 of resolution 2140 (2014)".

2. New Zealand wishes to inform the Committee that it has implemented resolution 2140 (2014) by issuing the United Nations Sanctions (Yemen) Regulations 2014 ("the Regulations"), promulgated under the United Nations Act 1946. The Regulations entered into force in May 2014. New Zealand is in the process of amending these regulations to take account of further measures imposed by resolution 2216 (2015).

Implementation of paragraphs 11 and 15 of resolution 2140 (2014)

3. The Regulations implement the asset freeze imposed under paragraph 11 of resolution 2140 (2014) through regulations 5-7, prohibiting dealing in assets, money or securities of designated persons or sending assets, money or securities to designated persons, except in accordance with subparagraphs 12 (a)-(c) of the resolution.

4. The Regulations implement the travel ban under paragraph 15 of resolution 2140 (2014) through regulation 4, preventing the entry into or transit through New Zealand by designated persons except where their entry or transit is permitted under subparagraphs 16 (a)-(d) of the resolution.

5. Further information on New Zealand's implementation of Security Council sanctions is available at http://www.mfat.govt.nz/Treaties-and-International-Law/09-United-Nations-Security-Council-Sanctions/index.php.